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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, line 14, with the following amended paragraph:

--i) generating computationally overlapping peptide libraries from all the protein sequences of the selected organisms available in a public database such as one maintained by the National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI), ~~providing electronic data representing peptide libraries from the protein sequence of selected organisms,--~~